

REMARKS

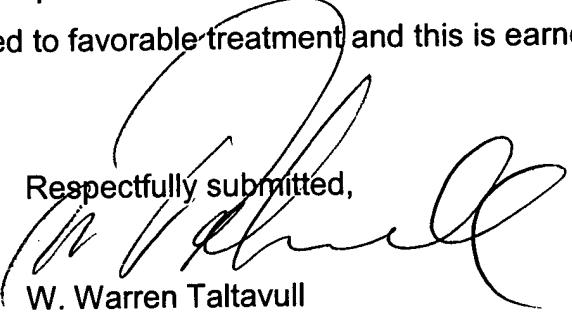
Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

The allowance of claims 1 and 4-7 is acknowledged with appreciation. A typographical error in line 3, from the end, of claim 1 has been corrected.

Claim 12 was rejected over Wang and this claim is cancelled herewith.

Having addressed all of the points raised in the Office action, it is believed that the application is now entitled to favorable treatment and this is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



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